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PREVENTING ADHESIONS  
BETWEEN AN IMPLANT AND  
SURROUNDING TISSUES

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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.56 and 1.97, Applicants wish to call the attention of the Examiner to the references that are listed on the attached PTO form 1449, copies of which are submitted herewith.

Applicants respectfully request that the cited references be listed on the face of any patent issuing from this application.

These citations do not constitute an admission that the references are relevant or material to the claims, but rather only constitute the closest art of which Applicants are presently aware.

Respectfully Submitted

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